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GOLF CARTS NOW ALLOWED IN PALMETTO ISLAND STATE PARK

Effective August 1, guests will be able to drive golf carts on the roadways within the boundaries of Palmetto Island State Park near Abbeville. Licensed drivers with liability insurance on their carts can take advantage of this opportunity between sunrise and sunset.

Palmetto Island State Park, located south of Abbeville off La. Highway 82 in Vermilion Parish, is host to six cabins and 96 RV camping sites for overnight visitors. The park also features a visitor center, conference room and picnic pavilions for guests to enjoy. Daytime and overnight guests have access to all of these amenities along with a boat launch into the Vermilion River, fishing piers, a state-of-the-art water playground and a three-quarter mile nature trail. For more information about Palmetto Island State Park, visit www.LaStateParks.com, call 877.677.0094 toll free or 337.893.3930 locally.

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